

## DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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<u>02080265.8</u>	<u>EP</u>	<u>16-12-2002</u>	<u>V</u> Yes <u>      </u> No
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